ARIZONA DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH SERVICES BUREAU OF EPIDEMIOLOGY AND DISEASE CONTROL Substantive Policy No. SP-039-PHS-EDC

SCHOOL AND CHILD CARE ENTRY IMMUNIZATIONS

R9-6-701 identifies each immunization required for Arizona school or child care entry. This substantive policy is to inform the general public of the procedure the Arizona Department of Health Services (ADHS) will follow when there is a shortage of a vaccine listed in R9-6-701.

- 1. If ADHS receives a written notification from the Center of Disease Control (CDC) that there is a shortage of a vaccine, or if the CDC limits the amount of a vaccine, ADHS shall notify Arizona schools, child care, and children's parents about the shortage of the vaccine, and that an immunization for the disease will be delayed.
- 2. When ADHS receives a written notification from the CDC that the vaccine is available, ADHS shall notify Arizona schools, child care, and children's parents about the availability of the vaccine and the time within which the vaccine must be administered.